# **Technical Data Sheet**

# Lactoferm YO 540 - YogurtTek®

#### **Description:**

Concentrated, lyophilized, lactic starter culture for Direct Vat Inoculation (DVI  $^\circledR)$  ideal for the production of set, stirred and frozen Yogurt with high viscosity, no stretching and medium aroma. Termophilic culture composed in decreasing order by :

Streptococcus salivarius subsp. thermophilus Lactobacillus delbrueckii subsp. bulgaricus

## Dosage:

The culture is supplied in polyethylene/aluminium packet containing a single dose, for direct inoculation, relevant phage-specific rotations. Code, units, production batch and expiry date are indicated on each packet.

| Recommended dosage       | 1U for 100 It of milk |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Phage –specific rotation |                       |

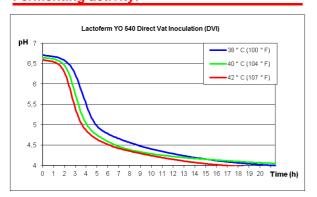
## **Modality of Use:**

Take the culture from the freezer and use a sanitising agent to sanitise both the upper side of the packet and the tool used to open it. Inoculate culture directly in the milk treated, without any preliminary reactivation. Shake for some minutes to distribute culture evenly.

#### **Culture charateristics:**

| Optimum temperature for growth: | 38 - 44 °C |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Maximum working temperature:    | 45 °C      |
| Gas production:                 | -          |
| Fermenting activity:            | +++        |
| Viscosity:                      | ++++       |
| Aroma:                          | +++        |
| Post acidification:             | •          |
| Flowing:                        | -          |

# Fermenting activity:



| Method: IS | SO 26323/IDF 213:2009 | Substrate: Reconstituted skim milk 9,5% RSM |
|------------|-----------------------|---|
| Heat treat | ment: 110°C x30'      | Inoculation: 1 Ux100 It of milk             |

# **Declaration of GMO and Allerges:**

The product YO 540 does not contain any genetically modified microorganisms and is produced in compliance with Regulation (EP) No. 1829-1830/2003 and 1169/2011 as further amendments.

| Allerges                  | Yes | No |
|---------------------------|-----|----|
| Cereals containing gluten |     | Χ  |
| Crustaceans               |     | Χ  |
| Eggs                      |     | Χ  |
| Fish                      |     | Χ  |
| Peanuts                   |     | Χ  |
| Soy (GMO-free)            |     | Х  |
| Milk                      | Χ   |    |
| Nuts                      |     | Χ  |
| Celery                    |     | Χ  |
| Mustard                   |     | Х  |
| Sesame seeds              |     | Х  |
| Sulphur dioxide and       |     | Х  |
| Sulphits (>10mg/kg)       |     |    |
| Lupins                    |     | Χ  |
| Shellfish                 |     | Χ  |

# Microbiological controls:

| Microorganisms                   | Method                  | Results                        |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Total cell count                 | ISO 4833-1:2013         | >=3.0 x 10 <sup>10</sup> CFU/g |
| Non lactic acid bacteria         | ISO 13559/IDF153:2002   | < 500 CFU/g                    |
| Yeasts and moulds                | ISO 21527-2:2008        | <10 CFU/g                      |
| Enterobatteriaceae               | ISO 21528-2:2004        | < 10 CFU / g                   |
| Coliform bacteria                | ISO 4832:2006           | <10 CFU/g                      |
| Escherichia coli                 | ISO 16649-2:2006        | < 10 CFU/g                     |
| Coagulase positive staphylococci | UNI ISO 6888-1:2003     | <10 CFU/g                      |
| Salmonella spp.                  | UNI ISO 6785:2004       | Absence/25 g                   |
| Listeria monocytogenes           | UNI EN ISO 11290-1:2005 | Absence/25 g                   |
| Enterococcus                     | INT. MET. 012-1991      | <100 CFU/g                     |
| Heteroferm. lactobacilli         | INT. MET. 010-1991      | <10 CFU/g                      |

## Storage and Expiry:

If is stored in its original sealed packaging at a temperature of -18°C, the product keeps its characteristics unaltered for 24 months or for 6 months at +5°C. The product maintains its characteristics unchanged also for 10 days at room temperature.

